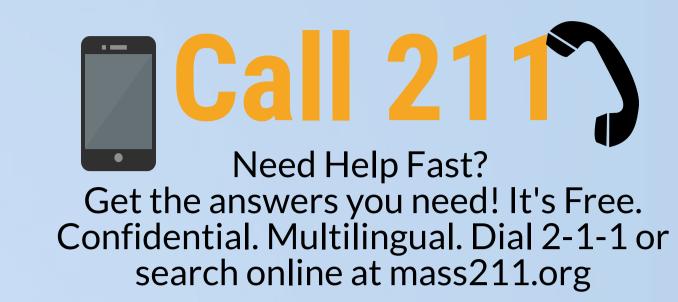


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COVID-19 WEEKLY REPORT



MIDDLETON BY THE NUMBERS: Aggregate 539
Cases in Last 7 Days at Large: +50 New Actives:
53 Active Under Isolation

March to Present COVID-19 CASES
Middleton Residents@ Large
Mortalities 6 Since March

March to Present
COVID-19 CASES
Middleton Jail, Group Homes, DYS
Cases in Last 7 Days: 41

COVID-19 TESTING INFORMATION

Two kinds of tests are available for COVID-19: viral tests and antibody tests.

- A <u>viral test</u> (PCR and Antigen) tells you if you have a current infection. The Polymerase Chain Reaction (<u>PCR</u>) test is the gold standard test due to reliability with less false negative or false positive results.
- An <u>antibody test</u> might tell you if you had a past infection.

Considerations for who should get tested

- People who have symptoms of COVID-19.
- People who have had <u>close contact</u> (within 6 feet for a total of 15 minutes or more) with someone with confirmed COVID-19.
- People who have been asked or referred to get testing by their healthcare provider, local, and state health department.

Not everyone needs to be tested. If you do get tested, you should self-quarantine/isolate at home pending test results and follow the advice of your health care provider or a public health professional.

Get tested MA!

Testing for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is widely available in Massachusetts.

FIND A SITE NEAR YOU

www.mass.gov/covid-19-testing